

BENEFIT

Mrs. R. H. Hagner
At Home Today
To Many Guests

Mrs. Randall H. Hagner will be hostess this afternoon in her home, on Jefferson place, at the first of two large at home for which she has cards out.

The drawing room and dining room will be prettily decorated with palms, quantities of maidenhair ferns and pink roses.

Mrs. Hagner will wear a becoming costume of pale gray messaline satin, and will be assisted in receiving her guests by her sister-in-law, Miss Isabella Hagner.

The Misses Williams will receive in the dining room, and presiding at the daintily appointed table will be Mrs. Charles H. Bradley and Mrs. Oliver Perry Johnson.

Official, diplomatic, and resident circles of Washington society will be well represented, as Mrs. Hagner is one of the most attractive members of the younger married set.

Hendersons Dinner Hosts.

Former Senator and Mrs. John B. Henderson were hosts at a luncheon yesterday in their home, Boundary Castle, 1801 Florida avenue. Their guests were Mrs. Lillian M. N. Stevens, national president of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union; Miss Anna A. Gordon, vice president of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union; Mrs. Margaret Dye Ellis, national superintendent of legislation; Mrs. Howard M. Hoge, president, Virginia Woman's Christian Temperance Union; Mrs. Clinton Smith, president of the District of Columbia Woman's Christian Temperance Union; Miss Elizabeth Gordon, national evangelist.

The table was beautifully decorated with ferns, red flowers, and candles, shaded with red silk shades.

Representative and Mrs. J. B. Perkins, of Rochester, N. Y., were hosts at a dinner last evening, complimentary to the British Ambassador and Mrs. Bryce.

Mme. Chermont, wife of the second secretary of the Brazilian embassy, entertained at an informal luncheon yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vanderbilt were hosts at a dinner last evening.

Drapers Entertain.

General and Mrs. Draper had as their guests at dinner last evening the Secretary of State and Mrs. Root, the Brazilian Ambassador and Mme. Nabuco, Senator and Mrs. Aldrich, Senator and Mrs. Bulkeley, Mrs. Fish, Senator and Mrs. Moore, Senator Gallinger, Commander and Mrs. Reamey, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brandegee, Mr. and Mrs. Lutz Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Chaffard, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Legare, Miss Wetmore.

The Speaker of the House and Miss Cannon were the honor guests of Representative and Mrs. Dwight at dinner last evening. Invited to meet them were Senator and Mrs. Dewey, Senator and Mrs. Flint, Representative and Mrs. Van Vechten Olcott, Mrs. Emeline Childs, and Senator Bacon.

Bonapartes Honor Guests.

The Attorney General and Mrs. Bonaparte were the guests complimentary to whom Mr. and Mrs. Grant Watson, of the British embassy, entertained at dinner last evening. The guest list included Lieutenant Colonel and Mrs. James, of the British embassy, Miss Nabuco, Mrs. Burton Harrison, Miss Thomas, of Baltimore, Baron Haymerle, Frederick Thomas, of New York, and Mr. Pierpont, also of New York.

Mrs. Merriam Receives.

Mrs. Lewis Merriam, of 1629 Q street, will receive tomorrow for the last time this season, in honor of her daughter, Mrs. H. C. Merriam, wife of Major General Merriam, of Fort Revere, Boston Harbor.

Mrs. Frank H. Shultz will not be at home at the Rochambeau, but will receive with her mother, Mrs. Merriam.

Mrs. Seaton Schroeder and the Misses Schroeder will be at home today.

Mrs. John R. McLean was hostess yesterday at a small informal luncheon in her new home on I street.

Lieut. Thomas Lee Johnson, U. S. N., and Mrs. Johnson are receiving congratulations today upon the birth of a daughter. Mrs. Johnson was before her marriage Miss Woodward, daughter of Mrs. Forbes, wife of Gen. Theodore Forbes.

Mrs. George M. Fullman and Mrs. Frank O. Lowden have cards out for a musicale at home Saturday afternoon, February 22, at 4:30 o'clock, at Calumet place. Francis McMillan will be the artist of the occasion.

Mrs. Edwin Lee Morgan will be at home informally today and next Friday.

Mme. Leger, wife of the minister from Haiti, will receive today and the following Fridays during the season.

Mrs. W. S. Knox and Miss Georgia Knox will be at home informally today.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Francis and Mr. and Mrs. William Corcoran Hill were among the dinner hosts of last evening.

Lieut. Carlo Pfister, naval attaché of the Italian embassy, and Signora Pfister, accompanied by Mrs. Laughlin, of St. Louis, mother of Signora Pfister, will go to New York tomorrow, where they will remain until March.

Miss Adams' Tea.

Miss May Adams was hostess at a tea in her home, 1621 New Hampshire avenue, yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. William John Zell, of 1301 Seventeenth street, will not be at home tomorrow or next Saturday.

IF IT'S LUCIOS' IDEA—IT'S IDEAL.



Newest thing in Combs is the Ethel Barrymore. As a special offer we offer our regular \$2.00 Combs for tomorrow only. \$1.00

LUCIOS, 1307 F St. N. W.

TEA AND MUSICALS TODAY

St. Andrew's Church Hospital Chapter
Gives Tea and Musicales in Parish Hall



MISS CORNELIA PARKER,
Daughter of Mrs. Mary S. Parker, Who
Will Play a Violin Solo at the Tea
and Musicales at St. Andrew's
Church Today.

The ladies of the Hospital Chapter of St. Andrew's Church, corner Fourteenth and Corcoran streets, are giving a tea and musicale today from 3 to 5 o'clock in the parish hall for the benefit of the room in the Episcopal Eye, Ear, and Throat Hospital, for which they are responsible.

They have made extensive arrangements for an exceptionally good program. The soloists and choir of the church will be assisted by Mrs. Ferris, wife of Representative Scott Ferris of Oklahoma, mezzo soprano soloist; Miss May Phelps, daughter of Commander Phelps, U. S. N.; Mrs. Phelps, violin soloist; Mrs. Mary S. Parker, pianist; Miss Cornelia Parker, violin soloist; Miss Frances Youngblood, daughter of Colonel and Mrs. Youngblood, recitation, and the Misses Doris and Gladys Beall, daughters of Rigmold Beall, president of the American Federal Bank, will play a duet on the piano.

There will be programs, one in the afternoon, at the tea and one in the evening.

A number of the season's debutantes and the members of the various guilds of the church will assist.

Miss Chandler to Leave.

Miss Chandler, of Los Angeles, who has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. I. C. Parker, at the Normandie, for the season, will return to California next week.

Mrs. Robert Patterson, who has been abroad for the past two months, visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Count and Countess Glyssick, in Russia, has returned to Washington and opened her beautiful house on New York street, where she will spend the remainder of the season.

The counselor of the Brazilian embassy, Mr. do Amaral, entertained some friends at the Belasco Theater last evening. His guests were Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Legare, Miss Ellen Patten, Miss Mary Patten, and the Greek minister, Mr. Coromilas.

Newberrys Dinner Hosts.

The Assistant Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Newberry were hosts at a dinner last evening.

The President and Mrs. Roosevelt and Representative and Mrs. Longworth occupied a box at the violin recital given yesterday afternoon by Francis Macmillan.

The British Ambassador and Mrs. Bryce and the Military Attache of the British Embassy and Mrs. James also were in a box.

In the audience were the Secretary of the Treasury and Mrs. Cortelyou, Mrs. Lutz Anderson, Mrs. John W. Timmons, Miss Helen Foulke, Mrs. John Story, Mrs. Harriet Blaine Beale, Mrs. Williams, and her daughter, Miss May Williams. Mr. Macmillan is a personal friend of Representative Longworth and many other distinguished Washingtonians.

Miss Naomi Thompson will be hostess at a german tonight in her home, 3500 Thirteenth street northwest.

Magdon Dinner Guest.

Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Clarence Edwards were hosts at dinner last evening in honor of Governor Magdon of Cuba, with whom they will return for a visit to Cuba upon the conclusion of his visit here.

Invited to meet him were General and Mrs. Bates, Captain and Mme. von



MISS FRANCES YOUNGBLOOD,
Daughter of Colonel and Mrs. Youngblood, Who Will Take Part in the Program at the Tea and Musicales at St. Andrew's Today.

Livonius, Mrs. Henry May, Mrs. Herbert Parsons, and Senator Warren.

August Belmont, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Perry Belmont, returned to New York with them yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Belmont will only remain in the metropolis a few days.

Miss Caroline Nash, who has just recently returned from a visit to the Philippines, was the honor guest of Miss Alice Boyd, daughter of Dr. John C. Boyd, U. S. N., and Mrs. Boyd, at luncheon today.

Invited to meet Miss Nash were Miss Esther Denny, Miss Henrietta Fitch, Miss Ellen Griffith, Miss Hildreth Gatt-

wood, Miss Hitchcock, Miss Alice Goodwin, Miss Alice Paret and Miss Katherine Claiborne.

Mrs. Simon Wolf, of 1756 Q street northwest, will not receive tomorrow, but will be at home the last two Saturdays of the month.

The Duchesse d'Uzes, sister of the Duke de Chaumont, who is in New York will be the honor guest of Frederick Townsend Martin at an afternoon musicale in the state apartments of Hotel Plaza, Monday. Mrs. Chauncey McKeever will sing, and Mrs. Beerbohm Tree will recite from Tennyson's "The Princess." Only a small select company from the older families in New York society will be invited.

ROCK CREEK PARK PLANS AWAIT WEST'S RETURN

Upon the recovery of Commissioner West, who is confined to Providence Hospital from an operation, the Commissioners will decide upon their recommendations to Congress regarding the treatment of Rock Creek valley.

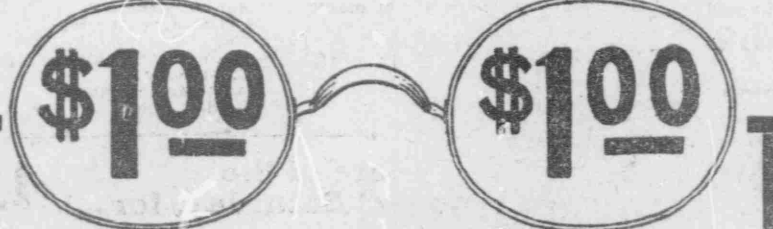
Dr. William Tindall, secretary to the Board of Commissioners, declares himself as not only in favor of the open treatment, but advocates an increase in the water supply of the creek.

"There are extended periods in each year," said Dr. Tindall, "when the quantity of water flowing down that stream is so insignificant that the creek is almost obliterated as a feature of the landscape. These periods, too, are the portions of the year when the park is most frequented and otherwise attractive. It seems a practicable and not an extravagantly expensive project to bring to the creek at or near its entrance to the District, an additional supply of water from the Potomac river above Great Falls."

JUST THE THING.

Family Physician—Now, there's nothing wrong organically with your father. He needs rest, that's all. As for occupation, let him do something which will neither tax his mind nor carry with it any responsibility.

Son of the Patient—I understand, Doc. I'll get him on the board of directors of some trust company.—Puck.



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Instant Relief for All Eye Troubles
Don't put off wearing glasses until your sight is hopelessly impaired. Begin now and avert trouble later.
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917 Penna. Ave. N. W.

Mrs. F. H. Shultz
Gives Luncheon
At Rochambeau

Mrs. Frank H. Shultz was hostess at a tastefully appointed luncheon today in her apartments at the Rochambeau, complimentary to Mrs. Reed Knox, of Pittsburg, who is visiting her husband's parents, Senator and Mrs. Philander C. Knox, in their home on K street, and Miss Maude Merriam, daughter of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. H. C. Merriam.

The table was prettily decorated with red roses and valentine favors, and Mrs. Shultz received her guests wearing a handsome gown of white crepe de chine.

Invited to meet Mrs. Knox were Mrs. H. C. Merriam, Mrs. Charles Sanderson, Mrs. A. W. Patterson, Mrs. John Langley, Mrs. R. G. Walker, Miss Merriam, Miss Georgia Knox, Miss Hastings, the Misses Reamey, Miss Calderon, and Miss Elting.

Mrs. Knox was becomingly attired in a gown of pale gray panne velvet and Irish lace, and Miss Merriam wore a gown of pale green radium silk.

Mrs. Clapham to Receive.

Mrs. A. G. Clapham will be at home informally Saturday (tomorrow) from 4 to 7 o'clock. She will have with her Mrs. J. B. Wood, of New York; Mrs. John Ritchie, Mrs. Griffith Halstead, Mrs. G. T. Vaughan, Miss Johnson, and Miss Bontoline, of Texas, her house guest.

Mrs. Grant Watson, wife of the secretary of the British embassy, was hostess informally at luncheon today in her home on Connecticut avenue.

Mrs. Lynn C. DeLashmott and Miss Mary DeLashmott will be at home Tuesday, February 25.

Miss Edith M. Clark, of Gunston Hall, will be at home Thursday, February 27.

Mrs. Edwin Hamilton Duff, of the Portner, will not receive today, but will be at home informally the remaining Fridays in February.

Mrs. Alfred Wood will not be at home today, but will receive the remaining Fridays of the season.

Mrs. E. M. Coates will receive in her apartments in the Cairo this afternoon.

Mrs. George Mitchell Betts will be at home today and the succeeding Fridays in February.

Mrs. Simon Wolf, 1756 Q street, will receive tomorrow, but will be at home the last two Saturdays in February.

Mrs. Archibald Gracie will receive this after-noon from 4:30 to 6:30 o'clock.

Mrs. William de C. Ravenel, 1611 Riggs place, will entertain at tea tomorrow afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock.

Mrs. John J. Knapp, of 1516 Twenty-second street, will not be at home tomorrow.

Mrs. Frederick Chaille Handy will be at home today from 4 to 6 o'clock at the Westover.

Mrs. Pavson, 1229 Massachusetts avenue, will not receive today.

Mrs. Francis Bradford Wheaton, 2406 Eighteenth street, will not be at home tomorrow, owing to her absence from the city.

Mrs. Beverly Randolph Mason and the Misses Mason will be at home Thursdays in February.

Mrs. Edwin Hamilton Duff will not receive today, but will be at home informally the remaining Fridays in February at the Portner.

Mrs. Burbage will be at home this afternoon and Friday, February 28.

Mrs. Joseph E. Thropp will not receive tomorrow or the following Saturdays in February, but will receive again regularly beginning Saturday, March 7.

S. Groeman, of Brooklyn, has been spending a few days here with his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. S. Atlas.

TAFT AFTER BOSTON VOTE.

Secretary Taft and his managers seem disposed to go after the vote of New England in earnest. The Secretary will speak in Symphony Hall, Boston, March 3, under the auspices of the State Republican Club, the largest political organization in the state. Senator Burkett, of Nebraska, who is an ardent Taft man, has accepted an invitation to join Mr. Taft in speaking there.

A Sale of SOROSIS SHOES Unusual Event

The fact that your choice is virtually unrestricted as to styles and leathers, including all the present seasonable weights, claims the sale now going on an

Extraordinary Event

No such shoe values have ever before been offered in Washington and the unprecedented attendance of purchasers each day attests the appreciation of the public.

A cut in the price of Sorosis means much more than an ordinary occurrence in the history of shoe sales.

It means, particularly at this time, your opportunity to buy Sorosis Shoes at practically the cost of the leathers only.

Women's Sorosis Boots, Oxford Ties, and Slippers, in Patent Leather, Calfskin, Glazed Kid, etc., including a number of Sorosis Luxurious Shoes and Slippers made for display.

\$2.95 per pair formerly \$4.00 and \$5.00

\$3.75 per pair formerly \$6.00, \$7.00 and \$8.00

Sorosis Shoes in Small Sizes and Narrow Widths Only

\$1.95 per pair values \$3.50 and \$4.00

MEN'S SOROSIS SHOES

\$3.75 per pair values \$5.00 and \$6.00

Children's Shoes Marked Down According to Sizes

SOROSIS SHOE CO., - 1213 F Street N. W.

The Palais Royal

A. LISNER
Ready for Church



The marvel is that she should secure her attire costume in an hour or so. Let us see how she does it—and note that the Palais Royal's end-of-the-week sale creates a saving in dollars and cents.

\$15.98 Instead of \$30 and \$20 for best of spring style new Suits, one of which is illustrated.

\$9.98 Instead of \$12 and \$15 for young ladies' Suits, spring styles.

\$2.98 Instead of \$3.50 for new Untrimmed Hats, in black and colors.

\$1.68 Instead of \$2 for best Wings and fancy Feather Sweeps, in all colors.

75c Instead of \$1.00 for two large Roses, with buds and foliage.

89c Instead of \$1.00 for Chantilly Lace Veils, 1 1/2 yards long.

21c Instead of 25c for Ladies' New Lace and Embroidery Handkerchiefs.

25c To 35c instead of up to \$1 for the new Neckpieces, in great variety.

\$1.98 Instead of \$2.50 for the new Velvet Finish Chambray Gloves, 15 button length.

\$1.39 Instead of \$1.50 for Grace Kid Gauntlet Gloves.

35c Instead of 50c for Lisle Hose, black, tan and fancy effects, plain and lace.

50c Instead of 75c and 75c instead of \$1 for best hand-finished "Merode" Union Suits, silk raised, lisle and maco yarn.

\$4.42 Instead of \$5 for Silk Petticoats, latest moment styles.

Satin Skin Powder FREE TO PATRONS

You'll note that Toilet Articles at tomorrow's special prices are made as little as three (3) cents. Note, too, that every purchaser of Toilet Articles is entitled to a week's supply of Satin Skin Powder—Free.

2c Satin-Skin Cream.....	18c	10c Sea Salt, 3 boxes for.....	25c	5c Malvina Cream.....	35c
\$1.00 Le Trefle Face Powder.....	79c	50c to \$1 Hair Brushes.....	39c	75c Cuticura Soap.....	50c
12 cakes 4711 Soap.....	12c	50c Hand Mirrors.....	39c	15c Clean Hand Powder.....	10c
2c Tooth Brushes, pure bristles.....	21c	50c Park and Tilford's Bay Rum.....	42c	25c Corylopsis Toilet Powder.....	13c
5c Wash Rags.....	3c	\$1 Le Fevre's Mando.....	89c	25c Cradocks' Healing Balm.....	10c
10c Emery Boards, 12 in box.....	5c	\$1 Le Fevre's Oriental Cream.....	\$1.04	5c Armour's Oat Meal Soap.....	2c
5c D. & R. Cold Cream.....	42c	50c Dr. Charles' Fleish Food.....	33c	15c dozen Orange Wood Sticks.....	10c
2c Sozodont Tooth Powder.....	18c	2c Lustring Nail Polish.....	19c	25c Mennen's Talcum Powder.....	25c
10c Wheeler's Corn Salve.....	8c	\$1.00 Pompadour Massage Cream.....	79c	25c ounce Lundborg's Extracts.....	15c
6c jars Liven's Cream.....	50c				

Big Teddy Bears

Every Saturday we see to it that special attractions are made for both mothers and their children. For tomorrow \$7 size Bears are to be \$3.98, and \$5 size are to be \$2.50.



\$1.98 \$1.00 98c

Cloth Coats worth up to \$5 are to be only \$1.98; Cloth Dresses worth up to \$3 are to be only \$1; Russian Suits, with bloomers, as pictured above, are to be only 98c.

69c For usual 98c Wash Dresses, with high and low neck and pleated skirts. Sizes up to 6 years.

50c For Rompers of plain and check Gingham, piped in white or red. Sizes 1 to 6 years.

\$1.98 For "Infants' Coats; worth up to \$3.50. Some of Bedford cord, have cape with full ruffle, ribbon and braid trimmed.

98c Tomorrow for the \$1.50 Wrappers and Bath Robes, in French flannel effects. Sizes 4 to 14 years.

Lowney's Chocolates, 10c Box

Peanut Brittle, 10c Lb. Roller Skates, 29c

These are tomorrow's Basement Floor attractions. Please note that the store closes as usual on Saturday at 5:30 P. M.

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